

FISCAL NOTE

HB 2976 - SB 3282

February 28, 2008

SUMMARY OF BILL: Establishes in general law a system of grants outside the BEP funding formula for additional funding for career and technical education.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Expenditures – Not Significant

Assumptions:

- According to the Department of Education (DOE), DOE is currently administering formula and discretionary types of grant programs for career and technical education. These programs include “High Schools that Work,” “Jobs for Tennessee Graduates,” “Tech Prep,” and others. DOE will not require additional staff to carry out the provisions of this bill.
- DOE is charged with tracking and reporting on the success of this program. The Department will not contract out the reporting requirements of the bill. Any increase in state expenditures is estimated to be not significant.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James W. White".

James W. White, Executive Director

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